



State of Wisconsin
2021 - 2022 LEGISLATURE

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2021 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 5

January 29, 2021 - Introduced by Representatives PRONSCHINSKE, PETRYK, BOWEN, EMERSON, HEBL, KERKMAN, KRUG, MILROY, SINICKI, SKOWRONSKI, SNYDER, SPIROS, SPREITZER, TAUCHEN, TRANEL, TUSLER and VRUWINK, cosponsored by Senators SMITH, CARPENTER, COWLES, FELZKOWSKI, NASS, PFAFF, L. TAYLOR and WIRCH. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1 **Relating to:** honoring the life and public service of Representative Barbara
2 Gronemus.

3 Whereas, Representative Barbara “Bobby” Gronemus, a dedicated public
4 servant and loving wife, mother, and grandmother passed away on January 17, 2021;
5 and

6 Whereas, Bobby was born to Irwin and Irene Barry on November 21, 1931, and
7 grew up on a farm near Sparta, Wisconsin; and

8 Whereas, prior to joining the legislature, Bobby worked with her late husband,
9 Lambert “Bert” Gronemus, on their farm and worked for 10 years as a nursing home
10 activities director; and

11 Whereas, Bobby was elected to the Wisconsin Assembly in 1982 and went on to
12 represent the people of the 91st Assembly District for 26 years; and

13 Whereas, Bobby was proud of her farm background, using the moniker “the
14 Farmer’s Daughter” during her election campaigns; and

